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YEAR AT A GLANCE

August

17: **MIN. DAY**; 1st Day of School
18: **MIN. DAY**
30: **MIN. DAY**; School Officers Primary Election for 4/5th

September

1: Spirit Day; School Officers Election Assembly for 4/5th Gr.
4: **NO SCHOOL (Labor Day Holiday)**
7: Title 1/LCFF Parent Informational Meeting @ 5pm; Back to School Night @ 5:30-6:30
13: **MIN. DAY**
27: Parent Institute for Quality Education (PIQE) Parent Night Series Part 1 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
28: Books and Bingo Family Night 5:30-6:30 in cafe'

October

Week of 2-6: **MIN. DAYS**-Parent Conferences (Deficiencies Home); Book Fair in Library; Chocolate Fundraiser (10/2-10/13)
2: Custodian Appreciation Day
4: PIQE Parent Night Series Part 2 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
6: Spirit Day; Family Picnic Day (10:45-12:45)
11: PIQE Parent Night Series Part 3 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
18: PIQE Parent Night Series Part 4 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
19: School Site Council (SSC)/English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC) Meeting #1 of 4 @ 2:30 in Library
20: Jog-A-Thon @ 8:15 on Field
Week of 23-28: Red Ribbon Week (Dress Up Days To Be Announced)
25: PIQE Parent Night Series Part 5 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
26: 4th Gr. Field Trip to La Purisima
27: Character Parade @ 8:15; Kinder Carnival @ 11:40 on K Playground; Movie Night @ 6-8pm on Grass

November

1: PIQE Parent Night Series Part 6 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
3: Spirit Day
5: Daylight Savings Time Ends/Change Clocks Back 1 Hour
8: **MIN. DAY**; PIQE Parent Night Series Part 7 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm
9: Psychologist Appreciation Day
10: **NO SCHOOL (Veteran's Day)**
13: Awards Assemblies (K @ 8:30/TK @ 1pm)
14: 1st Gr. Awards Assembly @ 1pm
15: Awards Assemblies (2nd @ 8:30/3rd @ 1pm); District Advisory Committee (DAC) @ 12:30 @ District Office
PIQE Parent Night Series Part 8 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'
16: Awards Assemblies (4th @ 8:30/5th @ 1pm); Skateland Party 5-7pm
17: **MIN. DAY *NO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM***
20-24: **NO SCHOOL (Thanksgiving Break)**
29: PIQE Parent Night Series Part 9 of 9 @ 6-7:30pm in cafe'

December

6: **MINIMUM DAY**
7: School Site Council (SSC)/English Language Advisory Committee (ELAC) Meeting #2 of 4 @ 2:30 in Library
14: 5th Gr. Field Trip to Ronald Reagan Library
18: Christmas Programs (5th @ 8:15; 4th @ 1pm)
19: Christmas Programs (3rd @ 8:15; 2nd @ 1pm)
20: Christmas Programs (1st @ 8:15; TK @ 1pm)
21: K Christmas Programs @ 8:15; Books and Bingo Family Night 5:30-6:30 in cafe'
22: **MIN. DAY *NO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM***; Spirit Day
12/25-1/5: **WINTER BREAK**

January

8: 1st Day Back from Winter Break
12: Spirit Day
15: **NO SCHOOL (Martin Luther King Jr)**
19: Deficiencies Home
25: Skateland Party 5-7pm
Week of 29-2: Big Smiles Free Dental Clinic
31: **MIN. DAY**

February

2: Spirit Day
8: SSC/ELAC @ 2:30 in the Library; V-Day Dance @ 5:30-6:30 pm
12: **NO SCHOOL (Lincoln's Birthday Observed)**
16: Family Picnic Day (10:45-12:45)
19: **NO SCHOOL (Presidents' Day Observed)**
26: Pennies For Patients Fundraiser Begins (2/26-3/23)
2/26-3/2: Read Across America Week (Dr. Seuss Dress Up Days)

March

2: Spirit Day
5: 2nd Trimester Report Cards Sent Home
6: Awards Assemblies (K @ 8:30/TK @ 1:00)
7: **MIN. DAY**; 1st Gr. Awards Assemblies @ 8:30
8: Awards Assemblies (2nd @ 8:30/3rd @ 1:00);
9: Awards Assemblies (4th @ 8:30; 5th @ 1:00)
11: Daylight Savings Time (Move Clocks Forward an Hour)
21: TK/K Registration @ 8:15; DAC @ 12:30
22: DELAC @ 12:30; SBAC Parent Night 5:30-6:30pm
23: **MINIMUM DAY *NO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM***; Family Picnic Day (10:45-12:45)
26th-2nd: **NO SCHOOL (Spring Break)**

April

6: Spirit Day
20: 3rd Trimester Deficiencies Sent Home
25: Administrative Professionals Day (Secretary's Day)
26: Books and Bingo Family Night 5:30-6:30 in cafe'
30: SBAC Testing Begins (4/30-5/10)

May

1: Cafeteria Appreciation Day
2: Bus Driver Appreciation Day
4: Spirit Day
8: Teacher Appreciation Day
9: Nurse Appreciation Day
10: SSC/ELAC @ 2:30-3:15 in the Library
18: Classified Appreciation Day
Week of 5/21-5/30: Book Fair in Library
21: Awards Assemblies (K @ 8:30/TK @ 1:00)
23: Awards Assemblies (1st @ 8:30/2nd @ 1:00)
24: Awards Assemblies (3rd @ 8:30/4th @ 1:00); Open House @ 5:30-6:30
25: Staff vs. 5th Graders Softball Game/Yearbook Signing Party @ 8 am; 5th Gr. Awards Assemblies @ 1:00
28: **NO SCHOOL (Memorial Day)**
29: Perfect Attendance Fieldtrip to Maya Cinema @ 8:30;
5th Grade School Dance @ 1 pm
30: Honor Roll Fieldtrip to John's Incredible Pizza @ 10:30;
31 5th Gr. Fieldtrip to Camelot @ 8:3-0-1:30; Skateland Party @ 5-7

June

1: **MINIMUM DAY!!** Last day of School; Talent Show;
@8:00/9:15; Family Picnic Day (10:45-12:45)



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